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# ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME

## DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

### NEWS RELEASE



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#### **DISTRICT 16 SCALLOP FISHERY CLOSURE ANNOUNCEMENT**

Douglas. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today that the 2012/2013 commercial weathervane scallop fishery in District 16 will close at 11:59 p.m. on October 17, 2012. Based on inseason catch reports, the guideline harvest level of 25,000 lbs. of shucked meat will be taken by the time of the closure.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1M2312.

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